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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : **Attn: Mail Stop Amendment**
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 Tsuyoshi NAKAJIMA : Patent Art Unit: 2834
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 Serial No. 10/573,634 : Examiner: Leda T. Pham
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 Filed: March 28, 2006 : Confirmation No.: 9014
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 For: VIBRATION DAMPING FOR A :
 ROTATING SHAFT :

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

<u>CLAIMS</u>				<u>SMALL ENTITY</u>		<u>OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY</u>	
REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	ADDIT. RATE FEE		ADDIT. RATE FEE	
TOTAL 14	- 22	=	0	x	26 = \$	x	52 = \$
INDEP 2	- 4	=	0	x	110 = \$	x	220 = \$
<input type="checkbox"/> 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM				+	195 = \$	+	390 = \$
				TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the June 1, 2009 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 5-18 are pending, with claims 10 and 18 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.